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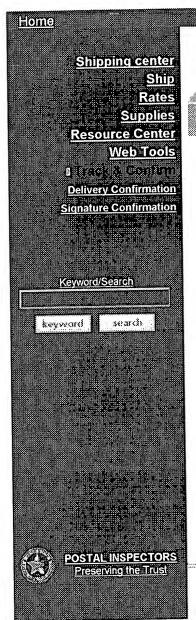
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	PLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US		
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App	licant herewith submits to the United States Des	signated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the fo	llowing items and other information:
1.	☐ This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items co	ncerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.	
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3.	This is an express request to begin natio (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.	onal examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 3	71(f)). The submission must include items
4.	☐ The US has been elected by the expiration	on of 19 months from the priority date (A	article 31).
5.	$\square$ A copy of the International Application	as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).	
	a. is attached hereto (required on	ly if not communicated by the Internation	nal Bureau).
	b.  has been communicated by the	International Bureau.	
	c. is not required, as the applicati	on was filed in the United States Receiving	ng Office (RO/US).
6.	☐ An English language translation of the I	nternational Application as filed (35 U.S.	.C. 371(c)(2)).
	a. is attached hereto		
	b.  has been previously submitted	under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
7.	☐ Amendments to the claims of the Interna	ational Application under PCT Article 19	(35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
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	b. have been communicated by the	ne International Bureau.	
	c. have not been made; however,	the time limit for making such amendme	nts has NOT expired.
	d.  have not been made and will no	ot be made.	
8.	☐ A translation of the amendments to the c	claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 3	371(c)(3)).
9.	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s)	) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).	
10.	A English language translation of the an 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	nexes to the International Preliminary Ex	amination Report under PCT Article
Iten	ns 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or in	nformation included:	
11.	☐ An Information Disclosure Statement un	nder 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.	
12.	$\hfill \square$ An assignment document for recording.	A separate cover sheet in compliance wi	th 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13.	☐ A FIRST preliminary amendment.		
14.	☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT prelimin	nary amendment.	
15.	☐ A substitute specification.		
16.	☐ A change of power of attorney and/or ad	Idress letter.	·
17.	☐ A computer-readable form of the sequen	ace listing in accordance with PCT Rule 1	3ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 – 1.825.
18.	☐ A second copy of the published internati	ional application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)	(4)
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20.	☑ Other items of information: Election and		
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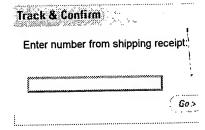
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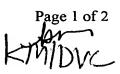
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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Copy of IPE Report
- . Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acc ptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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